

Missouri State Library

# Show Me *Express*

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*Show Me Express* features time-sensitive information about State Library programs and current news of interest to the Missouri library community.

## Missouri State Library Staff Updates

Two changes in staff will become effective Dec. 1, 2015 that will provide improved services for the Library's patrons and for public libraries. First, Lisa Hellman will become the full-time Youth Services librarian for Wolfner Talking Book and Braille Library. Lisa can be reached at (800) 392-2614, (573) 526-1144 or [lisa.hellman@sos.mo.gov](mailto:lisa.hellman@sos.mo.gov).

Second, the Library Development team welcomes Becky Wilson as the new Public Library Services consultant. Becky will work with Missouri libraries regarding library programs and literacy services for people of all ages, with a strong emphasis on planning, organizing and sponsoring training events for children and youth services staffs. Becky has a Masters in Science in Library Science and Information Services and served for six years as the library media specialist at Chester Boren Middle School in Centralia, Missouri. Her most recent experience was serving as library director at Centralia Public Library. Becky can be reached at (800) 325-0131, (573) 522-9564 or [becky.wilson@sos.mo.gov](mailto:becky.wilson@sos.mo.gov).

## Upcoming Continuing Education Opportunities from the State Library

**Librarian411: Improving Service for People with Disabilities** on Dec. 17 from 10-11 a.m.

This webinar will examine societal beliefs and biases about mental illness and give practical tips for serving customers with different needs. Participants will explore training and other resources available on the Librarian411 website. Presenter Tonya Hays-Martin has worked in the mental health

field for 22 years and is a librarian at Fulton State Hospital. Fulton State Hospital Library serves both professional staff and clients with severe and persistent mental illness. Hays-Martin was instrumental in developing the web-based training program, Librarian411. Complete required registration at [Librarian411](#) and direct questions about the webinar to Debbie Musselman at [debbie.musselman@sos.mo.gov](mailto:debbie.musselman@sos.mo.gov).

***Adults Are People, Too! Best Practices for Adult Summer Reading Programs*** on Jan. 21 from 10-11 a.m.

This webinar is for libraries planning to hold a 2016 summer reading program for adults. The presenters will be Morgan Pershing and Heather Cousin, who have extensive experience with Adult Summer Reading Programs (ASRP). They have presented on ASRP for the California public library community and the Ohio Library Association. This webinar will focus on summer reading programming ideas for adults, successful outreach, marketing strategies and resources in general, and the national 2016 ASRP theme, Exercise Your Mind, in particular. Registration is online at [Adults Are People, Too!](#) Direct questions about the webinar to Becky Wilson at [becky.wilson@sos.mo.gov](mailto:becky.wilson@sos.mo.gov).

## **MALA All-Access Pass Eligibility Expanded**

The Missouri State Library has a few passes to the Mid-America Library Alliance's Online, Anytime Series for Libraries available to staff members of any sized public library. Passes allow access to webcasts on reader's advisory, basic library skills, library supervision, administration and management, library paraprofessional skills, library programs and trends, human resource management, and library health and wellness.

The pass is for use by one staff member only. Passes may not be shared. To register, go to [All Access Pass for Libraries](#). For additional information contact Debbie Musselman at [debbie.musselman@sos.mo.gov](mailto:debbie.musselman@sos.mo.gov) or (800) 325-0131.

## **Strengthening Communities through Technology Webcast Available**

The webcast *Strengthening Communities through Technology* is archived for viewing at [watch.more.net](http://watch.more.net). In this session, staff from the University City Public Library share their experiences advancing

technology-based library services by offering telescopes, a 3-D printer and scanner, audio/video production equipment and more.

## **NEW BOOKS ON TECHNOLOGY, WEB DESIGN, MAKERSPACES and TRAINING**

[\*Coding for Librarians: Learning by Example\*](#) by Andromeda Yelton

[\*Digital Media Labs in Libraries\*](#) by Amanda L. Goodman

[\*Internet Technologies and Information Services\*](#) by Joseph B. Miller

[\*Make it Here: Inciting Creativity and Innovation in Your Library\*](#) by Matthew Hamilton and Dara Hanke Schmidt

[\*Makerspaces: Top Trailblazing Projects\*](#) by Caitlin A. Bagley

[\*Protecting Patron Privacy: Safe Practices for Public Computers\*](#) by Matthew Beckstrom

[\*Selecting and Evaluating the Best Mobile Apps for Library Services\*](#) by Nicole Henning

[\*Teaching Internet Basics: The Can-Do Guide\*](#) by Joel A. Nichols

[\*Technology Disaster Response and Recovery Planning: A LITA Guide\*](#) edited by Mary Mallery

[\*Usability and the Mobile Web: A LITA Guide\*](#) by Junior Tidal

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MOSL public library cards are issued in the name of the library director or branch manager.

Directors and branch managers are encouraged to borrow items for use by any of their library's staff with this card.

To get a MOSL library card, visit <http://mostate.libguides.com/reference/card> and fill out an application.

For assistance in obtaining a card, replacing a card or for additional information, contact the Missouri State Library Reference Services Division at (573) 751-3615 or [libref@sos.mo.gov](mailto:libref@sos.mo.gov).

## **Upcoming Online Resources Training Opportunities from MOREnet**

***Introduction to Your Online Library*** on Dec. 10 at 3:30 p.m.

Learn about the online resources available through MOREnet. This webinar will include EBSCO, LearningExpress Library and HeritageQuest. Registration is required and may be completed at [MOREnet: Introduction to Your Online Library](#).

***Exploring the eBook Collection*** on Jan. 7 at 3:30 p.m.

The new eBook Public Library subscription database will be previewed to highlight content and different ways to access the books to include demonstrations of different downloading features, discussing access to MARC records and special ways to limit within the collection. Bring your questions or sample searches and we will find the materials you need within your EBSCO resources. Register at [MOREnet: Let's Explore the eBook Collection](#).

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